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U.S. Application of: Katsuhiko ASAI, Hiroshi OOTSUKA, Kiyofumi  
HASHIMOTO, Eiji YAMAKAWA and Hideo HOTOMI  
For: LIQUID CRYSTAL DISPLAY DEVICE, PORTABLE  
ELECTRONIC DEVICE AND DRIVING METHOD  
THEREOF  
Confirmation No.: 4595  
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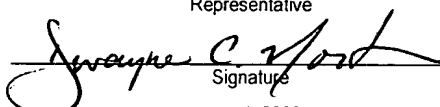
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**AMENDMENT**

This Amendment is filed in response to the Office Action dated December 10, 2001, which provides for a response period ending March 10, 2002.

A Petition for Extension of Time, to extend the response period for the Office Action, for one (1) additional month to April 10, 2002, is being filed concurrently.

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